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2 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
3 **NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
4 **(SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION)**

5 IN RE: VIAGRA (SILDENAFIL CITRATE)
6 PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

7 This Document Relates to: ALL ACTIONS

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9 **Master File No.: 3:16-md-02691-RS**

10 MDL No. 2691

11 **ORDER REGARDING: (1) ENTRY**
12 **OF APPEARANCES BY PFIZER'S**
13 **COUNSEL; AND (2) SERVICE OF**
14 **SHORT FORM COMPLAINTS**

15 For the convenience of the parties and the Court, and for the sake of administrative
16 efficiency in these MDL proceedings, the Clerk of the Court is hereby ORDERED to do the
17 following:

18 1. Entry of Appearances by Pfizer's Counsel. To the extent that counsel for the
19 defendant Pfizer Inc. ("Pfizer") has not already appeared in any case currently pending as of the
20 date of this Order, and in any cases filed on or after the date of this Order, the Clerk of Court
21 and/or Docketing Clerk shall electronically enter an appearance for the Pfizer counsel listed
22 below in each individual case-specific docket. The administrative entry of appearances for such
23 counsel shall not constitute a waiver of any defense Pfizer may have, including those relating to
24 personal jurisdiction, service, or any other defense, but instead is intended purely for the
25 administrative convenience of the Court and the litigants.

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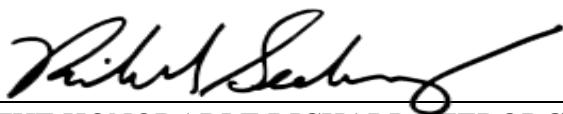
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16 2. Service of Short Form Complaints. For Plaintiffs who already filed ordinary
17 complaints and served them on Pfizer and who are filing Short Form Complaints in accordance
18 Amended Pretrial Order No. 9, such Plaintiffs may effectuate service of the Short Form
19 Complaint on Pfizer's counsel by CM/ECF. Plaintiffs who file cases in this MDL or whose
20 cases are transferred to this MDL on or after the date of this Order, or who filed but have not yet
21 served ordinary complaints on Pfizer, must utilize the Short Form Complaint and effectuate
22 service of process in accordance with Pretrial Order No. 5.

23 3. Content and Filing of Short Form Complaints. Each short form complaint
24 should include a reference to the member case number and be filed in both the MDL and the
25 member case.

26 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

27 Dated: November 28, 2016

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THE HONORABLE RICHARD SEEBORG
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE